POST-WAR RECONSTRUCTION SCHEME

745. മിസ്റ്റർ വി. ആർ. കൃഷ്ണനെഴത്തശ്ശൻ: താഴെപറയുന്ന ചോദ്യത്തിന്മേ ഗവൺമെണ്ടു സദയം മറുപടി പറയുമോ.—

ബഹുമാനപ്പെട്ട ഗ്രാമോദ്ധാരണമന്ത്രിയുടെ കഴിഞ്ഞ ബഡ്ജറ്റിൽ സൂചിപ്പിച്ച പ്രകാരം ഗ്രാമോദ്ധാരണപരമായ എന്തെല്ലാം നടപടികൾ ആവിഷ്കരിച്ചുകഴിഞ്ഞു. ആ പദ്ധതികൾ ഓരോന്നും ഇപ്പോൾ ഏതു ഘട്ടത്തിലാണിരിക്കുന്നതു് ?

മിസ്റ്റർ പറമ്പി ലോനപ്പൻ: ബഡ്ജറ്റ് പ്രസംഗത്തിൽ സൂചിപ്പിച്ച പ്രകാരം ഗ്രാമോദ്ധാരണപരമായി പദ്ധതികൾ ആവിഷ്കരിക്കുന്നതിനായി ഒരു കമ്മിറ്റിയെ രൂപീകരിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടു്.

VADAKKANCHERI PUBLIC LIBRARY

746. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan *(Vadakkancheri):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) what is the amount of grant given to the Public Library at Vadakkancheri;
(*b*) in what form is it given i.e., as money or as books;
(*c*) what is the nature of the provisions in the Budget as books or as money?

Mr. Parambi Lonappen *(Minister for Rural Development):*

(*a*) Rs. 75,
(*b*) Rs. 25 in cash towards running expenses and Rs. 50 in the form of books.
(*c*) Cost of books to be supplied to the libraries at Rs. 50 each and running expenses at Rs. 25 each,

747. Mr. Paramel Ipe Ipe *(Kunnamkulam):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether there were any petitions for digging a canal of about half a mile in length from "ചിറത്തപാടം" to "വട്ടകായൽപാടം" near Pazhanji.

(*b*) if so, how many and on what dates;
(*c*) what replies were given to those petitions;
(*d*) is not the "Puncha (പുഞ്ച) cultivation in "വട്ടകായൽ" seriously arrested every year due to water scarcity?

Mr. Parambi Lonappen *(Minister for Rural Development):*

(*a*) and (*b*) There was a petition, dated 29th Makaram 1113 addressed to the Chief Engineer requesting for opening the canal.

(*c*) The petitioners were directed by the Chief Engineer to approach the Director of Public Health and Panchayats in the matter as the work comes under Minor Irrigation.

(*d*) In some years scarcity of water was felt in the lands.

748. Mr. K. Balakrishna Menon *(Cheruthuruthi):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether the Public Library at Vadakkancheri is a Rural Library or a Major Library;
(*b*) whether the grants for the years 1118, 1119 and 1120 were paid;
(*c*) if so, when;
(*d*) whether the grants were paid in money or money's worth of books?

Mr. Parambi Lonappen *(Minister for Rural Development):*

(*a*) The library at Vadakkancheri is neither a rural library nor a major rural library,
(*b*) Grants for the years 1118, 1119 and 1120 were paid to the library.
(*c*) Grant for the year 1118, was paid on 6th Vrischigam 1119 and that of 1119 on 14th Mithunam 1119 and that of 1120 on 4th Edavam 1120,
(*d*) Books and money were given to the library out of 1118 grant. But in 1119 and 1120 an amount of Rs. 25 for each year could only be paid to the library.

BUND SLUICE—ELANKUNNAPUZHA VILLAGE

749. Mr. P. T. Jacob *(Latin-Christians Mattancheri)* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether there was an order from the Panchayat Director Ref. L, Dis. 1541/19, dated 14th Makaram 1119, to the effect that a Bund Sluice will be put up in Survey No. 637 in the Elankunnapuzha Village.

(*b*) whether the Honb'le Minister was pleased to visit the above site and a stay order was issued to stop the work of bund in another Survey number, if so, why;

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